

REMARKS

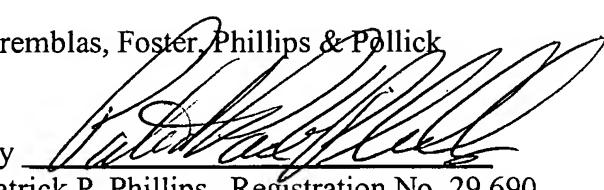
The comments of the Legal Instruments Examiner concerning the claims have been noted and a copy of the claims with proper status identifiers has been submitted. The language of the status identifiers were used in an earlier amendment and not cited as being non-compliant.

5        In view of the amendments of the claims, and the remarks made in Applicant's July 7<sup>th</sup> response, claims 1-2, 4-10, and 12-15 are submitted for further consideration as being patentable. The allowance of these claims is respectfully solicited. If the Examiner has any questions which would expedite issuance of a Notice of Allowance, a telephone call to the undersigned is requested. The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit

10      Account No. 13-3393 for any insufficient fees under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 or 1.17, or credit any overpayment of fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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